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U. S. Sailor Is Claimant to \$7,000,000 Estate Stockholders Ask Receiver for New Haven Lines

AMERICAN ARMY CRIMES FEW IN FRANCE, DECLARES CAPT. BARNEY FLOOD, HOME

New York Man, Head of A. E. F. Bureau, Says Men With Police Records Made Good.

TELLS OF WORK THERE.

Thirteen Hundred Wounded, Many From This City, Come on Transport.

Capt. Bernard J. Flood, for eighteen months Chief of the Division of Criminal Investigation of the American Expeditionary Forces—better known hereabouts as Detective "Barney" Flood of Headquarters, many years attached to the District Attorney's Office—was one of 1,427 Americans who arrived from France today on the transport Santa Teresa.

Capt. Flood brought with him an earnest tribute to the pluck and patriotism of many Americans "known to the police" who found their way to the front line trenches, a decided belief in the stories of "American crime waves" in Paris and an interesting report of the work of 1,540 American detectives and policemen of the Division of Criminal Investigation in the war zone.

Of the Santa Teresa's 1,427 passengers, all but 117 were listed as sick or wounded; and of the 1,310 thus listed, 90 per cent. it was said, had been wounded or gassed. Many of them were New York men. They were mainly convalescent and were officially described as Bordeaux Convalescent Detachments Nos. 1 to 7 inclusive, 11 to 14 inclusive, 17, 18 and 20, forty-seven officers and 1,233 men. Casual Companies No. 21, Virginia, came along in perfect health except for seasickness.

Two other ships also arrived in port today. They were the cruiser Seattle with 1,541 men, mainly of the 1st Division, but including a number of New York casualties, and the Fearless, which brought 157 casualties.

Officers of the Santa Teresa told of sighting a three-masted schooner in distress last Sunday night in the midst of a nor'wester which set in about 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon and continued until 9 o'clock Monday morning. The schooner was in the trough of the sea, her masts gone and was flying distress signals.

The Santa Teresa had as many passengers on board as she can carry with safety and comfort and her commander heard with relief the wireless reports of two other vessels that they were close at hand and hurrying to the relief of the schooner.

CAPT. FLOOD TELLS OF WORK AT FRONT.

Among the first to land when the transport docked at Pier 1, Hoboken, was Capt. Flood, a veteran of the Spanish-American War who, being refused leave of absence from the New York Police Department in order that he might go to Plattsburg, resigned and headed for the great war on his own account. (The leave of absence came later).

"While my station was officially at the Headquarters of the First Army," said Capt. Flood, "I made trips at times to the British, Italian and French fronts. My men worked immediately in the rear of the combat divisions.

GRAND JURY INVESTIGATION IN COSTIGAN CASE RUMORED

"Honest Dan," Demoted Inspector, Has Conference and Luncheon With Swann and Assistant.

Rumors that a grand jury will be asked to investigate the demotion and transfer of former Police Inspector Daniel E. Costigan by Police Commissioner Enright were current today in the Criminal Courts building and had apparent substantiation by the visit of Costigan to the offices of District Attorney Swann and Assistant James L. Smith.

Costigan remained dosed with the two for some time and then went to lunch with them. The conference was resumed after luncheon. Mr. Swann declared to discuss the probability of presenting the case to the grand jury, or that he had discussed the matter with Costigan.

That a grand jury investigation into Police Department affairs will be made, however, was evident when it was announced that the grand jury will make an inquiry to-morrow into the shooting of two policemen two months ago in a raid on a gambling house, where Arnold Rothstein was charged with shooting the two. He was released.

John C. Hackett, Police Commissioner Enright's secretary, today assumed the task of feeding newspaper reporters from his superior. Requests for an interview with Enright were greeted with a "Nothing doing" from Hackett.

THIRD BILL FOR NEW STATE IS PUT IN AT ALBANY

Would Combine Connecticut and Jersey, Which Have Not Voted Dry, With Part of New York.

ALBANY, Feb. 12.—The third bill to create a new State to be introduced in the New York Legislature since the State ratified the Federal Prohibition Amendment made its appearance today. It would comprise three counties of New York and the States of New Jersey and Connecticut, neither of which has ratified.

The new State would be named New York. The thirty-three counties would include Greater New York and those from a line formed by Rockland, Orange, Sullivan, Delaware, Otsego, Herkimer and St. Lawrence Counties eastward to the State line. The measure was introduced by Assemblyman J. Fairfax McLaughlin of the Bronx, a Democrat.

STORM WARNING ISSUED.

Strong Southwest Winds Due To Night and to Grow Stronger.

The following advisory message was received from Washington at the Weather Bureau today:

Southeast storm warning issued at 11 A. M. at Fort Monmouth, N. J., for disturbances extending to Jupiter, Fla., and Tampa. Severe storms are raging in Northwest Missouri and moving East-Northeast. Strong South and Southwest winds are due this afternoon and tonight, shifting to the West on Friday and continuing strong.

Five Soldiers Die on Finland, Due Here To-Morrow.

A corporal and four privates died on the transport Finland, which will dock here to-morrow. The deaths were announced in a wireless message received today at Hoboken. The soldiers who died were from the South and the Middle West. The causes of death were not given.

Make Plans to Welcome 105th F. A. Relatives and friends of members of the 105th Field Artillery, (21 F. A., N. C., N. Y.) are invited to attend a meeting of the 105th Field Artillery Auxiliary to be held at the Armory, 16th Street and Franklin Avenue, the Bronx, this evening. Plans for welcoming the men home will be discussed.

SAILOR LAYS CLAIM TO MILLIONS OF KING OF MONEY LENDERS

"Danny" Tolman, a Jackie in the American Navy, Is a Grandson of Usurer.

In a Jackie's uniform, penniless, except for the money lent him to come East from Chicago, "Danny" Tolman, grandson and missing heir of the late Daniel H. Tolman, "King of the Money Lenders," who died intestate a year ago, is on his way to this city to claim a fortune of \$7,000,000.

When his grandfather died at Montclair, N. J., on Feb. 12, 1918, "Danny" was ragged and almost friendless and hungry, ignorant of the fact that he had a grandfather a millionaire and never dreaming that a search had been instituted for him as the heir to a great fortune.

For years he had been wandering through the Middle West, working at odd jobs, trying to make a living as best could a lad who at thirteen had lost both his parents. He was in Milwaukee then and he enlisted at the Great Lakes Naval Training School.

Daniel H. Tolman's estate was valued at \$7,253,341. His widow, Katherine O. Tolman, of No. 30 Mountain Avenue, Montclair, at the time the estate was appraised, was judged to have inherited the property in New York, valued at \$60,000. A son, Elmer, of Chicago, was considered the heir of \$120,000 of property in Illinois.

Neither made mention of another son, John H., who was said to have married many years before against his father's wishes and was drowned, but claimed the fortune.

There was another claimant, too, a Mrs. Mabel Vora Tolman Vincellette, the wife of a steel worker, whose home was at No. 519 Germantown Avenue, Philadelphia, was claimed the "King of the Money Lenders" as her father and the man who deserted her mother.

In the meanwhile, however, lawyers at Philadelphia, where most of the Tolman estate is said to be located, were looking for the son of John H. Tolman, who with his wife was believed to have died at Columbus, O. No trace of the boy could be found. "Danny" had little reason to leave an address when he moved from one town to another. Sometimes he worked on farms; sometimes in towns, as a messenger boy, as a helper in stores, as a newsboy, as a driver of a milk wagon, at anything that would earn for him a dollar, and when he reached Milwaukee he got

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NEW HAVEN ROAD RECEIVER IS ASKED BY STOCKHOLDERS

Charge William Rockefeller and J. P. Morgan With Trying to Monopolize Lines.

Appointment of a receiver for the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad was asked here today in a suit in equity filed in the United States District Court by Harpod Norris, a stockholder, in behalf of 283 other stockholders.

The suit was filed with the consent and approval of a protective committee of more than 700 additional stockholders who have joined issues in the action.

Judge John C. Knox signed an order returnable Feb. 21 directing the railroad officials to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed. Sol S. Myers and former Senator Edgar D. Brackett represent the petitioner as attorneys.

The petitioner alleges that prior to 1855 the defendant controlled all the steam and trolley lines and steamboat companies in the New England territory and that the combined earnings of the organizations was \$78,528,473. It was also alleged that William Rockefeller, J. P. Morgan and George McC. Miller entered into a conspiracy to monopolize the transportation lines of New England through domination of the Board of Directors.

It is also alleged in the petition that the funds were diverted and misapplied for the purpose of corrupting and influencing the legislative bodies of the New England States and New York State to prevent the enactment of laws which might prove injurious to the aims of the alleged conspirators.

"HITCHY KOO" PLAYERS HURT IN PENNSYLVANIA WRECK

Northbound Buffalo Express Derailed Near Franklin, Pa.—None Badly Injured.

FRANKLIN, Pa., Feb. 12.—Fifteen members of the "Hitchy Koo" company, who were playing at Oil City to-night were injured when a car of the Pittsburgh Buffalo express, northbound on the Pennsylvania Railroad, was derailed at St. George, twenty miles south of here. Railroad officials said none of the injured were seriously hurt.

RED RISING IN GERMANY PLOTTED WITH RUSSIAN AID

BERNE, Feb. 12.—A nation-wide insurrection in Germany, aided by a Russian Bolshevik army, has been planned for March. It was revealed in documents discovered when Radok, the Bolshevik agitator, was arrested, according to German advisers received here today. The documents, it was said, show that the proposed Spartacist uprising would be the signal for the Russians to cross the German frontier.

TUMULT MAY MAKE RACE.

Says Offer of Nomination for Governor Would Be "Attractive."

Joseph P. Tumulty, Secretary to President Wilson, arrived in Jersey City today to visit his brother Philip. He was asked whether he would be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor if asked, he said the unanimous choice of the party. "I won't say that I would," he replied. "But I will say that I would have many attractive features."

LEAGUE PLANS FOR U. S. ARMY TO HELP KEEP WORLD PEACE

WILSON AT WAR COUNCIL AGREES WITH CLEMENCEAU ON TERMS FOR GERMANS

President Quoted as Saying Failure to Comply Would Justify Hostilities.

MUST DISARM FORCES.

Germans Are Also Required to Cease Making War on the Poles.

PARIS, Feb. 12.—It is reported that M. Clemenceau made an impressive speech at yesterday's sitting of the Allied War Council, showing the necessity of taking all desirable precautions against Germany. At the afternoon sitting President Wilson is declared to have adopted the same viewpoint, affirming that all the Allies were agreed on that point and that divergences which cropped up during previous discussions bore solely on the most suitable methods of obtaining the necessary guarantees.

President Wilson is understood to have said in conversation that a resumption of hostilities was an eventuality to which he would agree only on the most absolutely essential considerations, and not for any secondary motive. The report states that, in Mr. Wilson's opinion, the non-execution of terms of the armistice by Germany would be an incident of such a nature as to justify the resumption of war, and it is stated that he would not hesitate in that case to order the American Army to take up arms again.

The Supreme War Council has decided, says a Havas report, that the armistice with Germany will be renewed on Feb. 17 for a very brief period, with the Allies reserving the right to suspend it at any time in the event of Germany's failure to carry out new clauses or those which have hitherto not been executed. It is said the terms will provide that the Germans must cease hostilities against the Poles and maintain their forces within fixed limits.

During the brief period of the renewed armistice, a special commission will definitely draft the conditions of an armistice which will last till the signature of the peace preliminaries. These conditions, which the Supreme War Council is reported to have approved in a rough form yesterday afternoon, have in view the demobilization of the German Army and the disarmament of the enemy under the supervision of the Allies.

SCHEIDEMANN JOINS IN KICK AGAINST TERMS

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—Philip Scheidemann, newly-elected German Chancellor, in an interview, added his voice to the off-putting German threat to break off peace negotiations with the associated powers if the terms do not suit Germany.

"The Entente may conclude peace according to their interests, but there is a limit for us," he said. "Germans may break off negotiations. We would not take up arms but would leave the consequences for those who imagine they are able to bear them."

Could Be Sent Anywhere by the President if the Senate Approves —British Demand That Germany Pay Full Cost of the War.

PARIS, Feb. 13.—The United States, under the Society of Nations plan as it now has been amended, will maintain an army of not less than 500,000 men which, after authorization of such action by the United States Senate, could be used wherever necessary, according to a Havas Agency announcement today regarding newly adopted features of the plan.

This provision was agreed upon by the Society of Nations Commission, the Agency says, as a solution of the difficulties in the way of the plan arising from the American Constitution.

BRITAIN DEMANDS FULL PAYMENT OF WAR COST.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—The British delegates at the Peace Conference have been definitely instructed to claim an indemnity which will include the cost of the war as well as the damage actually caused, it was announced in the House of Commons today by Andrew Bonar Law.

A commission is now considering the amount to be claimed, the method by which payment should be made and the means of enforcing the payment, Mr. Bonar Law added.

MAKING RAPID PROGRESS ON WORLD LEAGUE PLAN

Seven Articles of the Redraft of Constitution Completed This Morning—International Police Discussed This Afternoon.

PARIS, Feb. 12.—The Commission on the Society of Nations resumed its session at 10:30 o'clock this morning with a full attendance of the members to receive the report of the Drafting Committee.

At the conclusion of the morning session seven articles of the redraft of the constitution had been completed. The question of an international police force, proposed by the French, had not been reached when the committee resumed its session at 2:30 this afternoon.

The arrangements have been completed for President Wilson's prospective departure from Paris on Friday night and his embarkment from Brest on Saturday. It is known that he is planning to return to France on March 15.

There is now belief in official circles that the Peace Conference will be able to complete its work by June 1.

According to the Havas Agency the text of the plan for the society of Nations, as first drawn up by the Peace Conference Commission for the organization of the society and altered in some cases at the instance of President Wilson, was afterwards amended. It developed today, after representations by Leon Bourgeois, whose ideas are stated to have been well received by the Allies.

In one case the plan was amended so as to provide that the nations having membership in the League should pledge themselves to take up arms if necessary for the maintenance of the integrity of their respective territories. In addition to this, it has developed, the Commission discarded the idea of virtually making the Society of Nations a super-state.

Greece has been authorized by the Peace Conference to send additional troops into Thrace, the Smyrna District and adjacent territory along the coast. It is understood that these troops and those which Italy is about to send to the Asia Minor districts of Adalia and Konia will be considered as Allied troops, subject to withdrawal by the Conference.

This move is construed by observers here as the first step towards making Italy and Greece the mandatory powers for the territory thus occupied.

GEN. O'RYAN IN BREST TO ARRANGE MOVEMENT OF 27TH TO NEW YORK

Will See That Conditions in Port Do Not Make His Troops Uncomfortable.

BREST, Feb. 12.—Major Gen. John F. O'Ryan, commander of the 27th Division (New York National Guard), has arrived here to select and prepare a camp site for his division, and to supervise the plans for returning it to America. His early arrival was prompted by reports of storming conditions at first, and he intends to see that his men are properly cared for.

Major Gen. George Reed, Commander of the American Embarkation Centre, has promised the division that it will sail for home before the end of February.

CROWDER RENOMINATED BY THE PRESIDENT

Judge Advocate General Given Rank of Major General From October, 1917.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Major Gen. Edwin H. Crowder, Judge Advocate General of the Army, was nominated today by President Wilson to succeed himself for another term of four years beginning Feb. 15, 1919, with rank as Major General from Oct. 4, 1917.

CATCH COLD YESTERDAY? Don't neglect it. To do so leads to grip and pneumonia. Take Fisher's Kidney Pills today. —ADP.